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I do not think this settlement is fair. Forcing Microsoft to "give away" its software as punishment is not punishment at all. The actual cost to Microsoft is minimal. However the benefits are fantastic, they get a leg up on the competition by getting their product in front of the public and children. Children are then taught to use Microsoft products and they are now their customer. A great deal for Microsoft. The punishment should be for a cash settlement or force Microsoft to purchase competitors products for the schools.

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